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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

GROUP: 1794

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FOR: DEVICE HAVING A HYDROPHOBIC AND/OR LIPOPHOBIC SURFACE  
AND METHOD OF PRODUCING ONE SUCH DEVICE

**RESTRICTION RESPONSE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 23, 2008, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I, Claims 1-3 (drawn to a device with a hydrophobic and/or lipophobic surface comprising a carpet of nanofibers), for examination.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.